

Application No. Applicant(s) 10/026,775 LIM, BYUNG KEUN Notice of Allowability Examiner **Art Unit** Kerri M. Rose 2616 -- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS. This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308. 1. X This communication is responsive to the communication filed 9/14/06. 2. The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-9, 18-20, 10-17, and 21-29 (now 1-29). 3. Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f). a) 🛛 All b) Some* c) None of the: 1. \(\subseteq \text{ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.} \) 2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)). * Certified copies not received: . . Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application. THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE. 4. A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient. 5. CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted. (a) including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached 1) hereto or 2) to Paper No./Mail Date (b) including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d). DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL. Attachment(s) 1. Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) 5. Notice of Informal Patent Application 6. Interview Summary (PTO-413), 2. Notice of Draftperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) Paper No./Mail Date 3. Information Disclosure Statements (PTO/SB/08), 7. Examiner's Amendment/Comment Paper No./Mail Date 4. Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit 8. X Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance of Biological Material CHAU NGUYEN SUPERVISORY PATENT EXAMINER **TECHNOLOGY CENTER 2600**

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DETAILED ACTION

Allowable Subject Matter

- 1. Claims 1-9, 18-20, 10-17, and 21-29 are allowed.
- 2. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: The prior art fails to teach or suggest the following:
 - a. Converting the IP M/B packet into a cellular M/B request message and a M/B link access control means based upon a re-transmission request message.
 - b. Receiving by a link access controller an IP M/B packet, segmenting into a radio packet, adding sequence numbers, and transmitting a cellular IP M/B MAC protocol service data unit to a mobile terminal.
 - c. Segmenting the IP M/B packet into a radio frame size and transmitting radio frames of the IP M/B packet via a common channel to a mobile terminal.

Shaughnessy et al. discloses a wireless system using multicast addressing. However, as disclosed in column 3 lines 45-48, the connections are established using PPP. The use of PPP causes a waste of channel resources, the exact problem to be overcome by the instant application. Jiang discloses converting all wireless signaling messages to IP based messages in column 4 lines 41-43. The messages are not disclosed as M/B and the exact details of the method are not disclosed. Cheung et al. disclose a method of bridging a wireless and wired LAN. However, the disclosure focuses on determining which access point will relay information from a wireless node to a wired node. Cheung does not disclose a method for converting a M/B packet from the wired LAN into a M/B packet for the wireless LAN.

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Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Kerri M. Rose whose telephone number is (571) 272-0542. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday through Thursday, 7:00 am - 4:30 pm.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Chau Nguyen can be reached on (571) 272-3126. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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